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Kashi-like Religious Corridors in Karnataka

- CM Bommai asks Muzrai Department to identify projects for transforming spiritual destinations
- UP Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath to attend Kumbha Mela valedictory at K.R. Pet tomorrow

Mandya, Oct. 15 (Mohanraj & BCT)- Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai has sought a report from the Muzrai Department on the possibility of developing Religious Corridors in Karnataka as being done in Uttar Pradesh and other parts of India to reinvent and redevelop spiritual destinations.

"The CM has shown interest in taking up Religious Corridor projects in Karnataka on the lines of Kashi Vishwanath Corridor in Varanasi and Mahakal Lok Corridor in Ujjain. Muzrai officials have been told to submit a report identifying sacred sites that can be covered under Religious Corridor development projects," Minister for Muzrai, Wakf and Haj Shashikala Jolle said.

She was addressing the gathering at the inauguration of Maha Kumbha Mela at Triveni Sangama near K.R. Pet in Mandya yesterday.

"In compliance with the plans of the CM, instructions have been passed on to the Muzrai officials to explore such initiatives in Karnataka that is a place for many religious sites," she said adding "PM Modi has taken many initiatives to restore the glory of temples in India and several prominent temples have been restored to its original glory. Kashi Vishwanath Temple Corridor, Mahakal Lok Corridor, Kedarnath Temple and Somnath Temple are some of the examples."

Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai along with his wife Chennamma at Kashi Vishwanath Temple in Varanasi on Dec. 14, 2021.

(See CORRIDORS on page 7)

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Editor: M. GOVINDE GOWDA, M.A.

Mysuru, Saturday 15th October 2022

Daksha College Founder-Chairman receives Mahatma Award-2022

Mysuru, Oct. 15- Jayachandra Raju, Chairman and Founder of Global Education Trust - Daksha College, Mysuru, received the prestigious Mahatma Award-2022 for Social Good and Impact in the event held at India International Centre, New Delhi, on Oct. 1.

Jayachandra Raju has served the United Nations in the Department of Peacekeeping Operations for more than 25 years in various regions of the world.

The Mahatma Award is supported by Aditya Birla Group and Eternal Gandhi Initiative as a tribute to Mahatma Gandhi to spread his message of selfless services and love across the world.

Mahatma Award honours individuals and organisations addressing incredibly complex and equally severe problems spanning global peace, poverty and hunger, disease, education, climate change, disaster response and preparedness, health care accessibility, environment protection and sustainable development.

Jury Members and Dignitaries on stage who bestowed the award included Lt. Gen. Rajender Singh, former UN Force Commander, Peacekeeping Forces Ethiopia & Eritrea; Dr. Yogendra Saxena, Senior Vice-President, Ambuja Cement; Amit Sachdeva, CSR Man of India; Radhika Bharath Ram, Board Member of CARE, Helpage India and CII National Education Council and Dr. Sankar Kumar Sanyal, a staunch Gandhian and Member of Gandhi Smriti & Darshan Samiti, Rajghat.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

How do you reduce desires? You cannot give them up, you can only take up a higher desire. As a child you were obsessed with toys, but you don't hanker for them now, because you grew out of them, to more exciting stuff. Apply the same principle. Move to higher, more gratifying realms. What is the joy of a chocolate compared to the thrill of falling in love? What is the cause of desire? When do you feel hungry? When your stomach is empty. Desire comes when there is a void. Thoughts arise in your mind to acquire things to fill that emptiness. These are called desires. The emptiness does not go in spite of fulfilling many desires, because it is not real. Even as you experience a void, you are full, totally full. You just don't know it. When you don't know you are full, you become a fool.

A young man fought with his dad and left home. After a few years, he returned, desperate for a job. In the interim, his dad had made a fortune and bequeathed it to him. He did not know it. So even while he thought he was poor, he was, in fact, a millionaire. We are not just millionaires, we are 'infinitaires.' Ignorant of our real worth, we go out as beggars, asking for petty things. Gain knowledge of your fullness and all seeking will end. The world will be at your feet and you will revel in the bliss of the Spirit.

— Jaya Row in The Times of India

NEWS SPARKLERS

Dead insects' parts as 'Frankenstein' warriors

Ghent: A young biology graduate and former taxidermist from Ghent, Belgium, creates warrior figurines out of hundreds of dead insect body parts.

The young graduate, 28-year-old Joos Habraken, spends between 20 and 30 hours working on each of his 'Frankenstein bugs,' fantastic creatures born out of his imagination. He uses body parts sourced from his own impressive collection or from a network of people he has collaborated with over the years. He only uses body parts from already dead bugs and would never even consider killing insects simply to fuel his hobby.

After graduation, the Belgian already had an impressive collection of insects and had started mounting them to sell to like-minded bug enthusiasts. Then he landed a job as a taxidermist and ended up piecing together his first Frankenstein warrior in his shop.

23 forgotten contact lenses removed from eye

California: A California ophthalmologist recently shocked the internet by posting a video of herself extracting 23 forgotten contact lenses from a patient's eye.

Last month, Katerina Kurteeva, an eye doctor out of Newport Beach, California, posted a video of herself carefully removing a few contact lenses from a patient's eye on a social media platform.

Kurteeva claims to have removed no less than 23 old contact lenses that her patient, an elderly woman, who had forgotten them in her eye for months, maybe even years. The video went viral a few days ago, leaving millions scratching their heads about someone could simply forget that many contact lenses in their eye.

HEALTH CAPSULE

Stress urinary incontinence is more common in females

By Dr. Dinesh Kumar T. P. - Consultant Urology Andrology
Manipal Hospital, Mysore

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LIFE'S ON

** Health Capsule is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature*

Enacting of play 'Stage Chemistry'

Mysuru, Oct. 15- The play 'Stage Chemistry: Neuro-Psychiatric Disorders on Stage' will be enacted on Oct. 16 at Namana Kalamantapa in city at 3 pm. The programme is organised by Mysore District Parents' Association for Empowering Developmentally Disabled (MDPAEDD). Concept, Script, Production, Stage Management, Costume Designing and Direction are by Dr. R. Purnima, formerly Professor of English, KSOU, and presently, Director, Children's Literary Club, Mysuru. This is the 305th Show of the play and also her 268th one-woman show.

PRO KABADDI

TODAY'S MATCHES (OCT. 15)

Pink Panthers Vs **Gujarat Giants**	**7.30 pm**
Telugu Titans Vs **Dabang Delhi**	**8.30 pm**
Bengal Warriors Vs **Patna Pirates**	**9.30 pm**

TOMORROW'S MATCHES (OCT. 16)

Puneri Paltan Vs **U Mumba**	**7.30 pm**
UP Yoddha Vs **Bengaluru Bulls**	**8.30 pm**

Venue: **Shree Kanteerava Indoor Stadium, Bengaluru**

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Tamil Thalaivas 32	Lose to	U Mumba 39
Haryana Steelers 31	Lose to	Pink Panthers 44
Gujarat Giants 47	Beat	Puneri Paltan 37

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- *Curriculum constituted mainly of Vedas during Vedic period. The student was also made to learn all household activities and some other important training of life skills was taught. There were mainly three steps of instructions in ancient India: Sravana, Manana, Niddhyasana. Sravana is listening to the words uttered by the teacher, Manana is that pupil had to think about the topics taught and Niddhyasana was the reflection of the teachings.*

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TODAY'S CURRENCY RATE

1 US Dollar	= **Rs. 82.37**
1 UK Pound	= **Rs. 92.09**
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VOICE OF THE READER

Problems galore in Bankers, Railway and Bapuji Layouts

Sir,

We are very happy to see the responses of City Administrators and Legislators to the readers' letters in this column. Let me also present the problems faced by several commuters of Bankers Layout, Railway Layout, Bapuji Layout and many other surrounding Layouts.

1. The service road from Bogadi Circle leading to the entrance of Bankers Layout, which is used by all these commuters is really in a very bad shape with several large potholes. The picture tells more about it. Please attend to the service road repairs also when the Ring Road is attended. **2.** The service road is always clogged with tractors, cars and two-wheelers parked by the visitors to the liquor shops and the service shops. There is no place for the commuters. Please take appropriate action. **3.** The divider between the Ring Road and the service road is to be properly closed, up to the signal. Otherwise, reckless commuters are jamming the entry to the service road. I hope the authorities respond to these requests and help many residents of these legally approved layouts reach home safely. This is the minimum expectation of all taxpayers.

—Prof. M. Indira

Bapuji Layout, Bogadi 11.10.2022

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Commandant post

The Office of the Mysuru District Home Guards has invited applications from eligible candidates to serve as Honorary Commandant under Karnataka Home Guard 1963 Act 3-B. Candidates must be aged below 50 years and must have a pass in any degree. Interested may submit applications at the Deputy Commissioner's (DC) Office before Oct. 31 and also submit a copy of application to the Mysuru District Superintendent of Police (SP), according to a press release from Additional DC Dr. B.S. Manjunathaswamy.

Old newspapers and magazines

The Department of Libraries had invited quotations from interested parties for disposal of old newspapers and magazines (2022) that are available at the City Central Library and all other branch Libraries in the city and district. The prescribed quotation forms can be obtained from the Central Library from Oct. 17 to Nov. 7, upon payment of Rs. 50. Last date to submit quotations is Nov. 8. For details, contact Ph: 0821-2425875 or 2425975.

Fishing subsidy

The Department of Fisheries has invited applications from eligible beneficiary Fishermen (Inland Fishing) for availing subsidy (2022-23) in respect of various sub-plans of the Department of Fisheries, under the Prime Minister's Matsya Sampada scheme. For details, visit the office of the Assistant Director of Fisheries at all taluk headquarters of the district.

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Outflow	:	1,050 cusecs

Relatives cheat illiterate woman of her property

Case booked after Court directive; documents in order, say Police

Mysuru, Oct. 15 (RK&BCT)- A case has been registered at the Metagalli Police Station against four persons on charges of cheating an illiterate senior citizen of her property by fabricating documents.

The case has been booked under the direction of the Court and four persons have been accused of transferring the elderly lady's property to their names without her knowledge. While 62-year-old Sharadamma, a resident of Veerannagere, is the victim in the case, her husband's sister 70-year-old Lakshmamma, Lakshmamma's 50-year-old son Lokesh, daughter 40-year-old Poornima and a relative 66-year-old Bhagyamma are the accused.

Sharadamma owns 2-acre, 12 gunta of land at Kalasthavadi village under Survey Number 145/5 and wanted to sell 32-gunta land due to a financial need. As she was illiterate and had no knowledge about documentation and procedures, the accused offered to help her and Sharadamma agreed.

Land actually sold for Rs. 18 lakh

The accused allegedly sold the said 32-gunta to one John for Rs. 18 lakh and told Sharadamma that the land was sold for Rs. 12 lakh and handed over Rs. 10 lakh cash and told her that they would return the remaining Rs. 2 lakh later. They hid the fact that the land was indeed sold for a higher amount.

After some months, Sharadamma once met John who told her that he had actually bought 32-gunta land for Rs. 18 lakh and not for Rs. 12 lakh. Taken aback by this revelation, when Sharadamma asked one of her other acquaintances to check the property papers, it came to light that while transferring the 32-gunta land to John on Feb. 7, 2011, Lokesh had also transferred 1.20-acre land owned by Sharadamma to his name without her knowledge.

When confronted, the accused threatened Sharadamma with filthy language and also threatened to kill her. Having no other alternative, Sharadamma approached the Court of law with the help of an advocate and filed a case. Following Court directions, the FIR has now been registered.

Metagalli SI clarifies

Metagalli Sub-Inspector Kiran Arjun Hanchiholi told *Star of Mysore* this morning that the case dates back to 2011 and it is an instance of a relationship growing sour. "Sharadamma had come to the Metagalli Police Station twice with her advocate and alleged that she had been cheated by her relatives. In fact, it was Sharadamma who divided the property and gave a part to Lokesh and the documents she produced proves this," he said.

"The documents showed the Police that there have been no fraudulent transactions and during our discussion with Sharadamma and her advocate, she admitted that she had given a part of her property at Kalasthavadi to Lokesh and after bequeathing the property, she realised that there is no one to take care of her during her old age. We summoned Sharadamma's relatives and asked them to settle the issue amicably within the family," the Sub-Inspector said.

Documents in order

However, there was no cordial agreement between the family members and the relationship turned from bad to worse, he said. "We double-checked the documents and there was no fraud involved here. But Sharadamma's advocate insisted that a case be registered. We can book a case only if there is fraud otherwise even the Police will be chastised by the Court. While the advocate insisted that Sharadamma was cheated, the documents said otherwise," the Sub-Inspector explained.

Meanwhile, the advocate filed a private complaint in the Court seeking directions to register a case against Sharadamma's four relatives. "We have registered an FIR following the Court directive and we will again investigate the case. The Police will submit the investigation report to the Court," Kiran Arjun Hanchiholi added.

Man accused in house burglaries and chain-snatchings arrested

Gold, silver, bike, car worth Rs. 18.19 lakh recovered

Mysuru, Oct. 15 (KS) - Ashokapuram Police, on Sept. 23, have arrested a man on charges of committing house burglaries and chain-snatchings and have recovered 305 grams gold ornaments, 1.2 kg silver articles, a car and a bike used for the crime, all worth Rs. 19,18,500 from him.

During interrogation, the accused is said to have confessed of committing house burglaries and chain-snatchings along with his accomplices in Mysuru city and Mandya district.

Based on the information provided by the accused, the Police have recovered the stolen booty besides seizing a Baleno car and a Bajaj Pulsar bike from him.

Following the arrest, the Police have solved one chain-snatching and one house burglary cases in Ashokapuram, two chain-snatchings and one house burglary

cases in Saraswathipuram, one house burglary case in Alanahalli, one chain-snatching case in Metagalli Police limits, one house burglary case in Srirangapatna Town Police limits and one house burglary case in Pandavapura Police limits.

Deputy Commissioner of Police (DCP) - Crime and Traffic, M.S. Geetha Prasanna and KR Sub-Division ACP S.E. Gangadharaswamy guided Saraswathipuram and Ashokapuram in-Charge Inspector C.M. Ravindra, Sub-Inspector M.K. Smitha and staff P.J. Raju, Sathyanarayana Shetty, Lokesh, H.J. Girish, Mahadevaiah, Basavaraj Munyal, Mahesh, KR Sub-Division ACP Sqaud members Mohan Kumar, Sagar, Suresh, Harish, Meghyanayak, Venkatesh, Srinivas, Somashekar and Harish in the nabbing, seizing and recovery operation.

Obituary

Milagrina Pais

Mysuru, Oct. 15- Milagrina Pais (Maggi), former teacher of St. Mary's School and a resident of Gandhinagar in city, passed away today at Gudlur. She was 79.

A spinster, she leaves behind a host of relatives and friends.

Funeral was held at the cemetery in Gudlur today, according to family sources.

Susheelamma

Susheelamma (94), a resident of Sharadadevi Nagar, passed away at a Private Hospital in city last night.

She leaves behind two sons, two daughters and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were performed at the foot of Chamundi Hill here today.

U.C. Mahadevappa

U.C. Mahadevappa (63), retd. LIC Development Officer and a resident of Siddarthanagar, passed away yesterday following a massive cardiac arrest.

He leaves behind his wife, a son, a daughter and a host of relatives and friends. Last rites were performed at his native place Ummadahalli in Mandya today.

A. Abdul Wajid

A. Abdul Wajid (74), ex-RTO agent, Vice-President of Masjid-e-Ya Rasool Allah Management Committee and a resident of Rajiv Nagar, passed away yesterday.

He leaves behind six daughters, grandchildren and a host of relatives and friends.

Namaz-e-Janaza was performed today after Zohar prayers at Masjid and funeral took place at Muslim Burial Grounds on Mysuru-Nanjangud Road.

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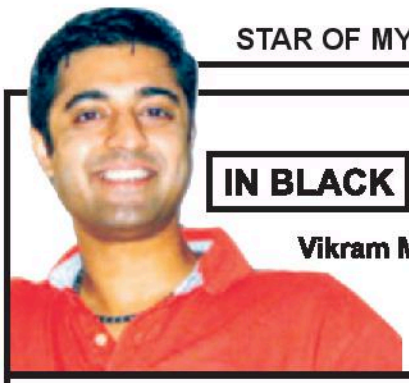

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Yatra: Optics & Opportunities

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Congress leader Rahul Gandhi carrying a child during the Bharat Jodo Yatra. Picture right shows an advertisement published by BJP Karnataka in** Deccan Herald **dated Oct. 8, 2022.

Congress' *Bharat Jodo Yatra* (Unite India March), led by Rahul Gandhi, is on the move. The Congress party's grand intent of 'Bharat Jodo' feels more like 'Congress Jodo', considering the internal fractures within the party.

If Rahul Gandhi is serious about uniting a diverse nation like ours, he should be rabidly secular. By keeping mum as a priest in Kerala mocked the Hindu religion, Rahul lost a golden opportunity to secure his secular credentials.

Now, Congress is well within its right to have a *Bharat Jodo Yatra,* but to equate it to Dandi March is ignorant. Telangana Congress President A. Revanth Reddy equated the *Bharat Jodo Yatra* led by Rahul Gandhi with the Dandi March of Mahatma Gandhi.

The Dandi March of 1930 was a 386-kilometre-long march in scorching heat led by a frail 62-year-old Gandhiji, who wore just slippers, a dhoti and a shawl. This march started the Civil Disobedience Movement, leading a nation to freedom by non-violent means.

Rahul has so far walked about 1,000 kilometres. He has comfortable sleeping arrangements, a new pair of branded sports shoes every couple of weeks and occasionally a two-day rejuvenating holiday at a resort and spa, as he did in Mysuru. So, comparing *Bharat Jodo Yatra* led by Rahul Gandhi to Gandhiji's Dandi March is ridiculous.

Most modern political *yatras* are about creating 'optics' for political gains and not so much for public good.

In 1990, when the then BJP President L.K. Advani was set to go on a *padayatra* to garner support for the Ayodhya movement, the late Pramod Mahajan pointed out that if they went on foot, it would take too long. To this, Advani asked, *"A jeep yatra, then?"*

But the jeep *yatra* didn't have the visual connect or appeal. So, the ever-so-smart Mahajan suggested they take a minibus and redesign it as a *rath!* A perfect visual appeal if you want to attract a fanatic.

Similarly, during this *Bharat Jodo Yatra,* photos of Rahul Gandhi giving a speech in the rain, playing with children, carrying them, speaking to older people, etc., are heart-warming visuals meant to change the mind of fence-sitters on voting day.

This *yatra* is important for Rahul Gandhi and Congress. It may be *Bharat Jodo Yatra,* but it is Congress *Bachao Yatra.*

Indira Gandhi and Rajiv Gandhi had gone on *yatras* after the Congress party's poll debacles in 1977 and 1989, respectively. They didn't win the subsequent elections, but there are exceptions.

It worked for BJP. In 1990, when L.K. Advani went on his *Rath Yatra,* BJP had 85 seats. In 1991, it was 120.

In recent times, *yatras* have worked well for certain politicians. In 1983, Chandrasekhar, as President of the Janata Party, did a 4,000-km-long *padayatra* from Kanyakumari to Gandhiji's *samadhi* at Rajghat in New Delhi. He went on to become the Prime Minister in 1990.

In 2003, Y.S. Rajasekhara Reddy embarked on a 1500-km, two-month *padayatra.* He became CM the next year!

Even his son Jagan Mohan Reddy deployed the same strategy. He walked 3,500 kms through 13 districts of Andhra Pradesh in 340 days. Two years later, in 2019, Jagan was sworn-in as the Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh.

Ironically, Jagan defeated a man who also had come to power after a *yatra.* N. Chandrababu Naidu, the leader of Telugu Desam Party, had undertaken a 1,700-km-long *padayatra* in 2013 and in 2014 he was elected the State's Chief Minister.

How can we forget the *'Bangalore to Ballari' padayatra* led by Siddharamaiah in 2010? The *yatra* was against the BJP-ruled Government's failure to curb illegal mining in Ballari.

The *yatra* established Siddharamaiah as a Congress leader and made him acceptable among Congress workers. Three years later, in 2013, Siddharamaiah was the CM.

Similarly, will this *Bharat Jodo Yatra* rejuvenate the fortunes of Rahul Gandhi? So far, *yatras* haven't been helpful to Rahul.

In 2015, Rahul Gandhi had the *'Kisan padayatra'* in Maharashtra and Telangana. There was no advantage to Congress in either States.

In 2016, he undertook a *'Deoria to Dilli' Yatra.* Rahul travelled 3,400 kms and visited 141 Assembly Constituencies hoping to end the Congress party's 27-year exile from power in UP. But alas, in 2017 election, Congress won only seven UP Assembly seats.

In 2020, he began a three-day *'Kheti Bachao Yatra'* in Punjab to fight the controversial farm laws. But the agitation was hijacked from him. Now AAP rules Punjab.

Karnataka BJP on the Defence?

Yatras may not have been fruitful for Rahul Gandhi, but we are glad he came to Karnataka because the Karnataka BJP needed a jolt.

Just a few days after Rahul Gandhi had passed through Mysuru, an advertisement appeared in all the State Newspapers. The Ad read: *"Mr. Rahul Gandhi, after Veerendra Patil, Devaraj Urs & S. Bangarappa, which other Kannadiga leader is your party going to humiliate next?"*

What an ill-timed, random and uncalled-for advertisement?

The Congress did not remove Veerendra Patil, Devaraj Urs and Bangarappa to install a Chief Minister from Delhi; they replaced them with another Kannadiga. So where is the question of humiliating a Kannadiga?

Where was the need for this advertisement at all? Is BJP scared that Rahul Gandhi's *yatra* won over some voters who are sick of Karnataka BJP's deep-seated corruption?

As if this wasn't embarrassing enough, the Karnataka BJP launched their own *yatra* — *'Jana Sankalpa Yatra'.* Why?

Worse, it chose the same old tainted leaders to lead this *yatra* instead of more articulate, hard-working and untainted young leaders like Pratap Simha and Tejasvi Surya.

If BJP is not bothered about the *Bharat Jodo Yatra,* as the CM said, then ignore Rahul Gandhi and talk about the development works you are doing for the State.

Yatras can turn a leader's and a party's fortune around but for that to happen, there needs to be the right leader and the purpose must be sincere.

Rahul Gandhi's *yatra* may be too long and whatever goodwill he garnered may fade away due to voters' short-term memory and his party's unshakable 'appeasement politics.'

But for now, we are glad the Karnataka BJP is rattled enough by his *Bharat Jodo Yatra.* Unfortunately, it didn't encourage them from doing visible development works and giving us a corruption-free governance. Instead, it drove them to do a copycat *yatra* with old cats.

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Again, rainwater enters busy Mysuru-Bengaluru Highway

Mandya, Oct. 15 (Mohanraj &BCT)- Traffic on the Mysuru-Bengaluru Highway moved in snail's pace this morning and the stretch faced frequent traffic jams, thanks to last night's rain that caused many lakes to breach.

As the traffic was not diverted, commuters had harrowing time negotiating the water-logged Highway. Many State Highways too bore the brunt. However, the Police did not divert the traffic as there was only minor flooding.

The Chikka Mandya Lake breached near Maddur while the Boodanuru Lake breached on the Mysuru-Bengaluru Highway. Smooth traffic flow on the Malavalli-Mysuru Road was disrupted by long traffic jams and vehicles moved on the T. Narasipura Road after motorists preferred that road to reach their destinations.

Along with partially covering the roads, rainwater entered fields and low-lying areas, submerging over 300 to 400 houses in Mandya and Maddur. The Mandya-Yediyur State Highway was blocked for several hours.

Even the Channapatna-Ramanagara Road had to bear the brunt of lake breach. Though traffic was not stranded like last time, commuters faced inconvenience.

Kumbha Mela: UP CM Yogi Adityanath to attend valedictory tomorrow

Yogi Adityanath

Mandya, Oct. 15 (Mohanraj&DM)- Uttar Pradesh Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath will inaugurate the valedictory while Karnataka Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai will deliver the valedictory address of the four-day Maha Kumbha Mela at Triveni Sangama in K.R. Pet at 11 am tomorrow (Oct.16).

A host of Seers including Adichunchanagiri Mutt Seer Sri Nirmalanandanatha Swamiji, Suttur Mutt Seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji, Kaginele Mutt's Sri Niranjanananda Puri Swamiji, Bebi Mutt's Sri Trinetra Mahanta Shivayogi Swamiji, Udupi Pejawar Mutt Seer Vishwaprasanna Teertha Swamiji, Chitradurga's Madara Chennaiah Mutt Seer Dr. Basavamurthy Madara Chennaiah Swamiji, Sri Ravishankar Guruji of Art of Living and Gujarat Hindu Dharma Acharya Sabha's Paramatmananda Saraswathi Swamiji will grace the occasion. Former CM B.S. Yediyurappa will hoist the flag. *[See also page 10]*

Corridors

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Shashikala Jolle

Likewise in Karnataka, CM Bommai has given importance to the Muzrai Department and allocated the highest funds that no other Government allocated in the last 10 years. "This paves way for taking up various temple development works. During his tour of Vijayanagar district, the CM had expressed a wish to develop Temple Corridor projects in Karnataka. It is also our wish to realise the PM's vision to take up similar projects in Karnataka," Shashikala Jolle said.

Higher Education Minister Dr. C.N. Ashwathnarayan, who also attended the Mela, said that the CM plans to take up several Muzrai projects and is working on plans for evolving a corridor on the lines of Kashi and Ujjain corridors. He stressed that every house should get credit for the organisation of Kumbha Mela.

'Shishyaru Mechhida Guru' award presentation

Mysuru, Oct. 15 (TRR)- The following 14 persons have been selected for the 10th Negilayogi Vidyavardhaka Mysuru Division-level 'Shishyaru Mechhida Guru' Award given by Negilayogi Samaja Seva Trust (Mysuru, Mandya, Bengaluru, Ramanagar):

T.R. Shankarappa (Primary School), S. Harsha (High School), Siddaraju Bellaiah (PU College), H.K. Ramachandra (ITI), G. Amaranatha (Diploma), Prof. M.S. Manonmani (Degree), Dr. M.R. Pooja (Engineering), Dr. Lakshmegowda (Medical), Dr. M.N. Sanjith (Law), M.N. Paramashivaiah (Physical Education), G.M. Satish (Competitive Examinations Coaching), Dr. B.P. Murthy (Yoga), S. Sunita (Dance) and Dr. H.R. Kannika (Children Competitive Education).

The Award will be presented at a function to be held at the Trust premises in Jayanagar tomorrow (Oct. 16) at 10.30 am.

Dr. Kavitha Rai, poetess and Kannada Professor, Karnataka State Open University (KSOU), Mysuru, will inaugurate the programme. Prof. K.R. Rangaiah, Hon. President, Negilayogi Samaja Seva Trust, will preside. MLA L. Nagendra will confer the awards.

District Institute for Education and Training (DIET) Principal H.N. Geethamba and Trust Vice-President Barakki P. Mahadevappa will be the chief guests.

'IEEE Mysurucon-2022' International Conference

Mysuru, Oct. 15- IEEE Mysurucon-2022, a flagship international conference of IEEE Mysore Subsection, co-organised and hosted by JSS Science and Technology University (JSS STU), Mysuru, will be held on Oct.16 and 17.

Inauguration will be held on Oct. 16 at 10 am in the Quadrangle of Sri Jayachamarajendra College of Engineering (constituent college of JSS STU).

Dr. C.G. Betsurmath, Executive Secretary, JSS Mahavidyapeetha (JSS MVP), will preside. Prof. Dr. Ho Chin Kuan, Vice-Chancellor, Asia Pacific University of Technology and Innovation, Malaysia and Prof. Dr. Hamid Reza Karimi, Professor, Politechnico Di Milano, Milan, Italy, will be the chief guests.

Prof. M.H. Dhananjaya, Advisor, TED, JSS MVP, Dr. B. Suresh, Director, TED, JSS MVP, Puneeth Kumar Mishra, Vice-Chair, IEEE India Council and Dr. H.C. Nagaraj, Principal, NMIT, Bengaluru, will be the guests of honour.

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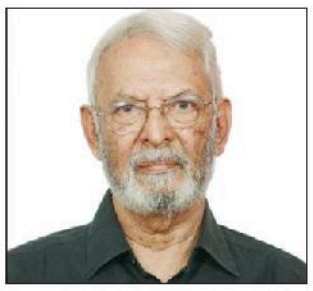
Ladakh: The dizzy heights -2



By Ashvini Ranjan

[Continued from yesterday]

Takthok Monastery

Let us start our tour with a visit to Takthok Monastery, suggested Namgyal though not on our itinerary. Monasteries are not just temples, volunteered our guide. It is a place of learning about Buddhism, religion, culture and meditation. Takthok Monastery is at a distance of 55 kms from Leh city. Monks in colourful costumes and masks dance to the beat of the drums, flute and the long wind instruments called the Dungchen. The dances are performed as offerings to the monastery deity as well as to signify the victory of good over evil. The masked Cham dances are performed by the monks and the rituals are carried out for a full two days. It reminded me of our own yakshagana folk dances of the coastal districts in Karnataka. In place of masks, yakshagana dancers wear heavy headgears and faces painted in bright colours. And loud too compared to the dances of Ladakh which are slow and gentle in their movements.

Presence of the Armed Forces

One thing that a visitor will not miss is noticing the presence of the military personnel. Ladakh being the bordering State with not so friendly Pakistan and China, presence of the armed forces appeared inevitable for security reasons. Not to forget the bloody battle at Kargil heights not far from Leh. Though two decades had passed since the conflict, the heroic deeds of our soldiers and the ultimate victory gets embedded in every Indian's mind. 'At least one member of a Ladakhi family joins the army sir', said our guide. He then narrated the story of Col. Chewang Rinchen, a recipient of two Maha Vir Chakra (MVC) awards by the Indian army.

Shanti Stupa

It is a few minutes drive from Leh city. It is a pagoda 28 metres high, built with white marble and has a golden pinnacle. It overlooks Leh city and the Valley beyond. The Shanti Stupa was built to promote world peace and prosperity and to commemorate 2,500 years of Buddhism. It is an important place of pilgrimage for Buddhists. The Shanti Stupa holds the relics of the Buddha at its base, it is said.

Pashmina Wool

The small shop at our hotel had done a good job at displaying various Kashmiri fabric and dresses. A woman cannot resist a closer look which then translates into, 'I want to buy it'. Pashmina wool is native to Ladakh and Kashmir districts. I stopped the purchase last minute by suggesting that we consult about the price and quality with a local person. When I mentioned this to our guide Namgyal, he shared some insights like an expert. He said that Changra goat of Ladakh produces the finest fibre called Pashmina wool. These animals are found at a height of four to five thousand metres above sea level. Each goat roughly produces about two hundred to three hundred grams of wool a year. Hence very expensive. To make it affordable the fabric gets mixed with synthetic material and for a visitor it is difficult to distinguish. Finally the investment was made at a shop that Namgyal suggested. Whether or not the wool was pure, my wife's happiness seemed genuine !

Leh Palace

Whatever your itinerary be when you travel, it is ultimately dependent on the weather at the time of your visit. A visit to the Leh Palace close to the city was on the cards and the skies opened up to a burst of rain. Let us not waste time for the rain to stop, suggested Namgyal. Let us proceed to Alchi Monastery instead, he said. My readings about Leh classified this Monastery under a must visit category. Leh Palace is enroute to Alchi. From the looks of it from outside, the Leh Palace appeared like an imposing structure but past its glory days. Nine storey high structure and the museum is not in the best of shape sir, volunteered Namgyal. The view of the city from top of the Palace is definitely spectacular, but involves a lot of climbing. The falling rain and the nine flights of stairways seemed to seal our decision to skip the Leh Palace. 'A month is not enough sir,' said our guide. At the end of it, there will still be some places left for you to see. So let's pick the best of places to see as we drove towards Alchi Monastery.

Alchi Monastery

It is on the banks of the Indus River. It is regarded as one of the most important Buddhist centres in Ladakh and known to be a monastic jewel. It dates back to nearly a thousand years. There are five shrines in the Temple Complex with some splendid wall paintings considered among the oldest surviving paintings in Ladakh. One of its walls in the temple complex features thousands of miniature sized pictures of the Buddha, each with a unique message. There are three large sized images of Buddha with elaborate wood carvings. It is no longer an active religious centre. One cannot help but wonder at the strong belief in God and religion of people of those times and the effort that went in creating extraordinary paintings and structures. As we exit the temple complex, the wooded path meanders through souvenir shops, small tea stalls and restaurants. We decided to taste local food at the 'Alchi Kitchen' run by a young Ladakhi lady. The Momos and Khambir (bread stuffed with mixed vegetables) made a fine meal. Our next stop was Thiksey village, a two hour drive.

Ashvini Ranjan and his wife Shashi at the border view point.

Border Roads

Building roads and bridges at such heights is an astonishing feat. There is a constant movement of rocks due to frequent earthquakes and melting ice. Landslides are common. To carry heavy equipment and construction material to such heights is not an easy task. Construction workers are constantly at risk of injury or loss of life. The extreme weather makes life that much more difficult. Even though vehicle drivers are very skilled, accidents are frequent. Moreso, to army trucks carrying heavy equipment and military personnel.

Pangong Lake and *Three Idiots* movie

We had packed lunch, courtesy Chamba Camp, for the six hour drive to Pangong Lake, rated one of the biggest tourist attractions of the country. It was made even more famous by the movie *'Three Idiots'* and the famous scooter ride by the actress Kareena Kapoor on the banks of the lake. To reach there one has to travel on probably the most treacherous part of Ladakhi roads. Many stretches are unpaved, rocky with water streams flowing from the melting ice from the mountains. But the view of the landscape is stunning. Pangong Lake is situated at a height of almost 4,350 metres and is the world's highest salt water lake. Its water, which seems to be dyed in blue, stands in stark contrast to the arid mountains surrounding it. Extending to almost 160 km, one-third of the Pangong Lake lies in India and the other two-thirds in China. Crystal clear waters, amazing scenic view of the mountains in the backdrop. Surprisingly, the facilities there are very basic. Most accommodation there are tents. The chill of the night could be uncomfortable if not properly prepared. As darkness falls, the stars light up the sky. The sight is truly ethereal.

Pangong Lake, one of the highest altitude lakes in the world.

[To be continued]

Yeshasvini: Kodagu Sahakara Sangha to begin registration from Nov. 1

Mysuru, Oct. 15- Kodagu Sahakara Sangha, Mysuru, will begin registration for the re-launched Yeshasvini Health Scheme from Nov. 1 as the State Government has recently notified the guidelines for registration of Co-operative Society members.

The Scheme is set to become operational from Jan. 1, 2023 and will cover 1,650 diseases.

The cashless medical scheme for members of Co-operative Societies is up to Rs. 5 lakh per family per annum. There is no cap on age for becoming a beneficiary.

As per the guidelines issued for membership of the Scheme, a member (and his family) of any Co-operative Society registered under Karnataka Co-operative Societies Act, 1957 or Karnataka Souhardha Sahakari Act, 1997, or Multi State Co-operative Societies Act, 2002, is eligible to become a beneficiary of the relaunched Scheme.

Similarly, those members of Self-Help Groups (SHGs) organised by the District Central Co-operative Banks and Primary Agriculture Co-operative Societies are eligible along with those who are members of any Co-operative Society or Rural SHGs, the notification said.

While a member of Rural Co-operative Societies or SHGs will pay an annual premium of Rs.500 for a family unit with a maximum number of four persons (plus Rs. 100 each for every additional member), those members of Co-operative Societies in Urban areas will pay a premium amount of Rs.1,000 for a family unit with a maximum number of four persons (plus Rs. 200 each for every additional member). The Government will bear the premium amount of SC/ST families.

The re-launched Yeshasvini Health Scheme will be valid from 1.1.2023 to 31.12.2023. Interested members may register themselves at the Sangha Office in Jayalakshmipuram during office hours (10 am to 6 pm) from Nov. 1, 2022, according to Sangha Executive Director Ponjanda Lovely Appaiah.

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Dr. Veerendra Heggade formally launches Maha Kumbha Mela at K.R. Pet

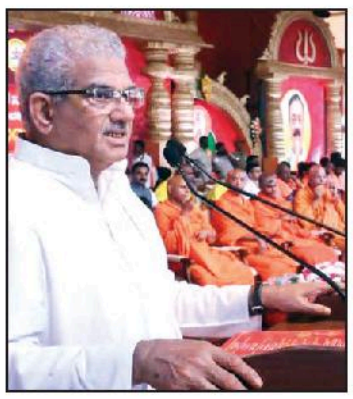
Calls upon people to conserve and worship water

K.R. Pet, Oct.15 (Mohan Raj)- Dharmasthala Dharmadhikari Dr. Veerendra Heggade, who is also a Rajya Sabha MP, formally launched the four-day Maha Kumbha Mela at Triveni Sangama near Ambigarahalli-Sangapura-Pura cluster villages in Akkihebbal Hobli of K.R. Pet taluk yesterday.

Speaking on the occasion, Dr. Heggade said that water is the lifeline of everyone and as such it is essential for all to conserve it. Pointing out that we offer puja to weapons, equipment, articles and vehicles during Ayudha Puja, Dr. Heggade said that likewise water too should be worshipped as it is very much essential in our daily life and we cannot survive without it.

Noting that the Triveni Sangama here is the confluence of Cauvery-Hemavathi-Lakshmanatheertha rivers, he called upon the people to take a holy dip at the Sangama.

Minister for Silk and Youth Empowerment and Sports and



K.R. Pet MLA K.C. Narayanagowda, who presided, said that the Maha Kumbha Mela is being held at Triveni Sangama in the presence of a number of Seers and Saints, after a gap of nine years. Underlining the significance of 'Punya Snana' (holy dip) at the Sangama, he said that devotees seek the blessings of Lord Mahadeshwara at this holy shrine.

Adichunchanagiri Mutt Seer Sri Nirmalanandanatha Swamiji, Suttur Mutt Seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji, Mysuru Ramakrishna Ashram President Swami Muktidanandaji,

Kaginele Mutt Seer Sri Shivanandapuri Swamiji, Bebi Mutt Seer Sri Trinetra Mahanta Shivayogi Swamiji, M.M.Hills Salur Mutt Seer Shanthamallikarjuna Swamiji and a host of other Seers graced the occasion.

Mandya District Minister K. Gopalaiah, Mandya Deputy Commissioner S. Aswathi, Additional Deputy Commissioner H.L. Nagaraju, ZP CEO Shantha Hulmani, SP N. Yatish, Pandavapura Sub-division Assistant Commissioner B.C. Shivanandamurthy, Tahsildar Roopa, Kumbha Mela Co-ordinator Sannaswamygowda, Mandya Urban Development Authority Chairman Srinivas and a host of other officials and leaders attended the event.

Ganga Arati performed

Later in the day, 'Ganga Arati' was performed at Triveni Sangama on the lines of the one that takes place at Varanasi in Uttar Pradesh. Priests from Varanasi performed the Ganga Arati in the presence of Seers and thousands of devotees, who had gathered to watch this unique ritual.

Laser Show this evening

Several homas and special rituals marked the third day of the four-day Kumbha Mela at Triveni Sangama today (Oct.15).

The rituals began as early as 6 am with the performance of Kalasha Puja followed by Ganapathi, Navagraha, Mruthyunjaya and Sahasra Modaka Homas. Later cultural programmes followed with a Saxophone performance by M.N.P. Ratnam, a Musical concert by Ravi Shivakumar and team and Karnatak Musical performance by a K.R. Pet Musical Group.

Thereafter, a Dharmika Sabha (Religious Conference) was held at 11.30 am.

Later in the day, Ekadasha Rudrabhisheka, Sahasra Bilwarchane and Mangalaarati to deities Lord Mahadeshwara, Sri Sangameshwara and Sri Swatantra Siddalingeshwara were performed. This will be followed by the performance of a play on Lord Mahadeshwara.

In the evening, Ganga Arati will take place at the Sangama at 6.30 pm followed by a special Laser Show at 7 pm.

Seers of various Mutts, Ministers K.C. Narayanagowda and Dr. C.N. Ashwathnarayan seen performing Kalasha Puja as part of Maha Kumbha Mela at Triveni Sangama yesterday.

'Ganga Arati' being performed at Triveni Sangama on the lines of the arati at Varanasi in Uttar Pradesh.

Youth Exchange Programme

102 youths from Bangladesh to arrive in Mysuru tomorrow

Mysuru, Oct. 15 (BNR)-A delegation comprising 102 youths from Bangladesh, who are in India on a 'Youth Exchange Programme' of Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Government of India, from Oct. 12 to Oct. 19, will be arriving in Bengaluru today.

The team will interact with Governor Thaawarchand Gehlot at Raj Bhavan at 3.30 pm. Dr. Shalini Rajneesh, Additional Chief Secretary, Department of Youth Empowerment and Sports and other senior officers will be present. At 6 pm, the delegation will visit National Institute of Fashion Technology.

The youth delegation will be in Mysuru tomorrow (Oct. 16) and pay visit to Mysore Palace, Chamundi Hill and Brindavan Gardens in KRS.

On Oct. 17, the team will interact with Mysore University VC, Registrar and students in the presence of Minister for Youth Empowerment and Sports K.C. Narayanagowda. Later, the youth delegation will visit Mysore Medical College and discuss about new innovations with Doctors and Medical students there following which they will visit Infosys campus and take part in JSS University programme.

On Oct. 18, the team will leave Mysuru and visit Indian Institute of Management in Bengaluru before leaving for Dehli in the evening.

The Youth Exchange programme is organised under the aegis of Nehru Yuva Kendra Sangathan. For details, contact Sangathan State Director and Bangla Youth Delegation Nodal Officer M.N. Nataraj on Mob: 94803-92655.

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		7.10 pm, 10.05 pm
	(S-2)	1.20 pm
Rorschach (Ma)	(S-2)	10.30 am, 10.05 pm
Goodbye (H)	(S-2)	4.10 pm
Ponniyin Selvan - Part 1 (Ta)	(S-2)	6.55 pm
	(S-3)	4.15 pm
Doctor G (H)	(S-3)	11.00 am, 7.30 pm, 10.00 pm
Thothapuri Chapter 1 (K)	(S-3)	1.30 pm

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Kantara (K)	(S-1)	9.15 am, 12.30 pm, 3.35 pm
		6.40 pm, 9.45 pm
	(S-2)	10.10 am, 1.15 pm, 4.20 pm
		7.25 pm, 10.30 pm
	(S-3)	11.35 am, 2.40 pm
		5.45 pm, 8.50 pm
	(S-4)	9.45 am, 7.00 pm
Doctor G (H)	(S-3)	9.00 am
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		9.45 pm,10.30 pm
Kantara (H)	:	9.20 am, 12.30 pm, 3.40 pm
		6.50 pm, 10.00 pm
MRP (K)	:	1.40 pm
Champion (K)	:	6.45 pm
Ponniyin Selvan Part-1 (Ta)	:	11.30 am, 6.30 pm
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Doctor G (H)	:	10.10 am, 4.10 pm, 7 pm, 9.50 pm
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Kantara (H)	:	9.00 am, 9.50 am, 12.10 pm
		3.20 pm, 10.30 pm
Kantara (K)	:	9.20 am, 12.30 pm, 1.00 pm
		3.40 pm, 4.10 pm, 6.50 pm
		7.20 pm, 9.20 pm, 10.00 pm
Doctor G (H)	:	10.00 am, 12.50 pm, 6.30 pm
Ponniyin Selvan - Part 1 (Ta)	:	3.40 pm, 10.05 pm
Thothapuri Chapter 1 (K)	:	7.10 pm

EVENTS TODAY (OCT. 15)

- **Ramsons Kala Pratishtana:** 18th edition of Bombe Mane, the doll extravaganza of Mysuru, Ramsons Bombe Mane, #91, Nazarbad Main Road, **up to 7 pm.**
- **Panache:** Exhibition of apparels, jewellery, accessories and home decor, Hotel Southern Star, Vinoba Road, **up to 8.30 pm.**
- **Great Bombay Circus:** Three shows at open ground behind Mysuru Zoo, near Karanji Lake, **1 pm, 4 pm & 7 pm.**
- **District Nayaka Teachers Welfare Association, Mysuru:** Maharshi Valmiki Jayanthi and Pratibha Puraskar presentation, Mayor Shivakumar inaugurates, BJP ST Morcha Chamarajanagar District President J. Jayasundar showers flowers on portrait of Maharshi Valmiki, P. Nagalingappa, President, District Nayaka Teachers Welfare Association, presides, Rotary Hall, JLB Road, opposite MUDA, **3 pm.**
- **Inchara Kalakshetra:** Handmade Dolls Show, K.S. Raghavendra has made 170 dolls depicting the life history of Pujya Sri Raghavendra Swamy, Inchara Kalakshetra, #149/150, 4th Cross, 3rd Main, Mahadeshwaranagar, 2nd Stage, Vijayanagar, **4 pm to 8 pm.**
- **Sri Ramakrishna Ashram:** Swami Vipranandaji speaks on 'Essence of the Upanishads,' Ashram premises, Yadavagiri, **6 pm.**
- **Bharatanjali Nritya Shaale, Mysuru:** 'Tridishti', a Bharatanatyam recital by Shashwathi Sridhar, an alumnus of Kalakshetra, Chennai, under the guidance of P.T. Narendra of the Kalakshetra, accompanied by Guru P.T. Narendran (Chennai) on natuvanga, Hariprasad Kalakshetra (Chennai) on vocal, Vid. H.L. Shivashankaraswamy (Mysuru) on mridanga, Vid. Narasimhamurthy (Bengaluru) on flute and Vid. Tandavamurthy (Mysuru) on violin, Pramathi Education Trust Secretary H.V. Rajeev, Karnataka State Dr. Gangubai Hangal Music and Performing Arts University Vice-Chancellor Prof. Nagesh V. Bettakote, Internationally acclaimed danseuse Dr. Vasundhara Doraswamy and Subhadra Keshavamurthy guests of honour, RamaGovinda Rangamandira, Ramakrishnanagar, **6 pm.**
- **Nrityagiri Performing Arts and Research Centre, Mysuru:** 'Nritya Sapthaha,' Silver Jubilee celebrations and Guru Vandana programme by disciples of Nrityagiri Director Dr. Kripa Phadke, Guru Vandana by C.S. Shreya, accompanied by Vidu. Sameeksha Manukumar on natuvanga, Vid. Rohith Bhat on vocal, Vid. Lingaraju on mridanga, A.P. Krishna Prasad on flute; Costume and Make-up: Sri Rajeshwari Vasthralankara; Compere: Vidu. Sanjana Goghate; retired Principal of University Fine Arts College Vidu. Dr. R.N. Sreelatha presides, Well-known percussionist Vid. G.S. Ramanujan chief guest, Veene Seshanna Bhavan, Kuvempunagar, **6 pm.** [Mob: 94487-70741]
- **Vishwajnani Samskrutika Kala Trust, Kollegal:** Staging of play 'Setu Madhavana Sallapa,' written by T.N. Narasimhan, directed by Ankaraju N. Kollegala, assisted by Harish Chomanahalli, stage management N. Saraswathi, co-operation: Mysuru Mime Team and Satviki Seva Samsthe, Mini Theatre, Kalamandira premises, **7 pm.**

EVENTS TOMORROW (OCT. 16)

- **Nagavana Kala Sahitya Vedike:** Dasara Mahila Kavigoshti, writer and journalist Bannur K. Raju inaugurates, Nagavana Kala Sahitya Vedike President Homma Manjunath presides, Culture Patron Raghuram Vajapayee and poetess & Vedike Hon. President A. Hemaganga chief guests, Akkana Balaga, opposite Press Club, Tyagaraja Road, **10 am.**
- **Ramsons Kala Pratishtana:** 18th edition of Bombe Mane, the doll extravaganza of Mysuru, Ramsons Bombe Mane, #91, above Amrapali Saree Store, Nazarbad Main Road, **10 am to 7 pm.**
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- **Sudharma - Sanskrit Daily:** *Sudharma* Founder Pt. Kalale Nadadur Varadaraja Iyengar's birth centenary celebrations, Sosale Vyasaraja Mutt Seer Sri Vidyashreesha Theertha Sripadangal graces the occasion, *Sambhashana Sandesha* Monthly Editor Dr. Janardhan Hegde main speaker and releases 'Varada Vaibhavam' special edition, Sanskrit scholar and *Sudharma* Hon. Editor Vidwan Dr. H.V. Nagaraja Rao presides, MLA S.A. Ramdas, retd. Dy. Director of ORI and *Sudharma* Hon. Editor Vidwan Dr. T.V. Satyanarayana and Akhila Bharatiya Prashikshana Pramukh of Sanskrita Bharathi (Mangaluru) Dr. H.R. Vishwas chief guests, *Vidwat Sanmana* (felicitation) to Sri Sharada Pratishtanam (Pune, Maharashtra) Founder Pt. Vasanta Ananta Gadgil; Releasing of Sanskrit books brought out by Sudharma Prakashana, Photographs Exhibition - 'Sudharma Nadedu Banda Daari,' screening of Ashakirana documentary (Promo), Sri Nadabrahma Sangeetha Sabha, JLB Road, **10.30 am.**
- **Great Bombay Circus:** Three shows at open ground behind Mysuru Zoo, near Karanji Lake, **1 pm, 4 pm and 7 pm.**
- **Mysore District Parents' Association for Empowering Developmentally Disabled (MDPAEDD):** Staging of play 'Stage Chemistry: Neuro-Psychiatric Disorders on Stage,' Concept, Script, Production, Stage Management, Costume Designing and Direction are by Dr. R. Purnima, formerly Professor of English, KSOU, and presently, Director, Children's Literary Club, Mysuru [This is the 305th Show of the play also her 268th one-woman show], Namana Kalamantapa, Krishnamurthypuram, **3 pm.**
- **Kumar Performing Arts Centre (KPAC), Mysuru:** 15th Nirantara Kalemane Utsava featuring performances from different institutions — Bharatanatyam by Guru Vidwan M.D. Ganesh and Vidushi N.S. Bhavna and their disciples from Sri Ganeshavidyalaya, Nelamangala, Bengaluru; Guru Namana by the disciples of Guru Vidushi Prasannalakshmi Kaladhar, Shri Nrityaniketan, Mysuru; Bharatanatyam performance by the disciples of Guru Vidwan Tumkur Harish Raman, Shri Rajarajeshwari Nritya Kalamandir, Tumakuru. Nritya Sinchana by the disciples of Guru Vidushi T.S. Shreelakshmi Kumar, Director, Shri Uma Maheshwara Nritya Kalakshetra, Mysuru; Nupur-Nada performance by the disciples of Guru Vidushi Tanuja Jain of Mahavira Lalitha Kala Academy, Bengaluru; Jagannath Manvi, Sanskrit and Kannada teacher, Shree Mahaveer Jain Vidyalaya, Mysuru, chief guest, Kalemane Sabhaangana, Hebbal, **4.30 pm.** [Mob: 98866-54887]
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- **Sri Ramakrishna Ashram:** Swami Shivakantanandaji speaks on 'Uttara Bharatadalli Swami Vivekanandaru,' Ashram premises, Yadavagiri, **6 pm.**
- **Natana School of Theatre Arts:** Staging of play 'Ushaharana,' written by Shanthakavi (Sakkari Balacharya), directed by Dr. Sripad Bhat, Natana premises, Ramakrishnanagar, **6.30 pm.**
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Guru Shishyaru (K)	(S-1)	1.00 pm
MRP (K)	(S-1)	4.10 pm
Nan Khadar Nan Hudgi Super (K)	(S-2)	10.00 am
Kantara (K)	(S-2)	12.35 pm, 3.35 pm
		6.45 pm, 9.45 pm
	(S-3)	10.30 am, 1.45 pm
		6.00 pm, 9.05 pm
Champion (K)	(S-4)	10.30 am
Shubhamangala (K)	(S-4)	1.40 pm
Modi Ji Ki Beti (H)	(S-4)	4.05 pm
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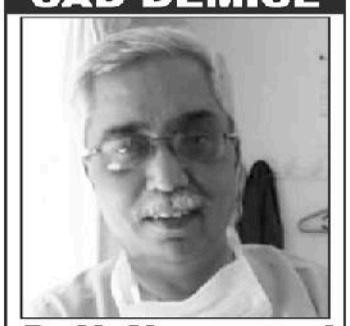
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